



Pioneer Chapter Riders Club Meeting Minutes - Saturday 11May2024

*** Jim Rendahl sent invitations to join the meeting using Zoom. If you are interested in participating in our Zoom Meetings send your email address to "jimi.superx@gmail.com" so he can include/invite you to join our next meeting. You only need to send your email address to Jim once and he will include you in future Zoom Meeting Invitations. ***

Spring Party at the Shed. This month's meeting was held in conjunction with our Spring Party at the Shed. We had a terrific turnout, with a total of 25, including some members that we had not seen for far too long. We started the afternoon out with a few of us on a group ride led by Doug Bruns. It was a beautiful day for a tour through Welch and the Mississippi bluffs around Hastings. After the 4pm meeting, food was served. Burgers, brats, hotdogs, salads, salsa, desserts and more. With very special thanks to Dennis and Cheri Frederikson who provided the food and grill. Great food and company! Thank you to all who attended.

Meeting Minutes:

- Dan Muller called the meeting to order at 4PM at the Shed.
- Membership Report - Chuck Barsness - Your Pioneer Chapter Riders Club (PCRC) Membership Dues can be paid anytime now. Our membership runs from Jan 1st through Dec 31st each year and costs \$25. The Membership Gift for 2024 is a PCRC Universal Socket 1/4"-3/4" (7mm-19mm). The Universal Socket will be mailed to all that pay their 2024 dues. Thanks to several that have already renewed their PCRC Membership. The 2024 Membership Gift has been sent to all that have paid their dues. So, if you haven't received it, we haven't received your 2024 dues.
- Treasurer's Report - Doug Bruns - Your \$25 - 2024 dues can be paid any time now! You can go online to join or renew your membership at "ehridersclub.com" and use PayPal to pay your dues. Or you can make a check out to the "Pioneer Chapter Riders Club" for \$25 and send it to Doug Bruns, PCRC Treasurer, 19219 Estate Ave, Farmington MN 55024.

Agenda Items:

- Start of Summer Ride, June 22. Bob (Evil) Gerhart sent this note - "We just want to let the club know that we are planning a party at our place on June 22. Just FYI in case Xers wanted a destination for a ride north on a Saturday." He and Tiffany live at 42247 290th St, Aitkin MN 56431. An updated email from Bob is attached below that includes more details. If you're thinking about riding up through or from the Minneapolis area, contact Jim Rendahl or Dan Muller (contact info below).
- The Silver Anniversary celebration in Belle Plaine, July 18-20. Hosted by the Excelsior Henderson Rider's Club. Word has it that old friends will be rolling in from far and wide. See additional note from Waz below.

- The Luncheon Ride has been set for July 27th. We are meeting again in Tomah. The final details will be determined at the June meeting.
- The 25th Annual PCRC Rally dates are 21-25 Aug 2024 - mark your calendars. We will be returning to the Country Lodge Inn in Harmony MN for our Rally. Nancy is the contact at 507-886-2515. The dates have been confirmed with Nancy. Call her now to reserve your room. The riding in that area is great and Nancy is a super host.
- A Gift of Appreciation - A gift has been purchased for Nancy for being a fantastic host for our PCRC Rally's. We purchased and assembled two Plant Theatre wooden Adirondack chairs for her use at the Country Lodge Inn in Harmony. They will be delivered to Nancy sometime this Spring.
- We currently have 6 Super Xs at the Shed. If you need anything let us know.
- Next Month's Meeting will be held Sunday June 9th, 2024. It will be held at the Shed at 1 PM CDT via Zoom.

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***** From Bob Gerhart *****

I won't be able to make it down to the Shed for the cookout, but I wanted to let you know that our rumored party up here in the woods on June 22 is officially a "go".

Here is a link to the FB event I created, but I am not sure if everybody (e.g., people not on my friends list) can see it since I have my privacy settings cranked way down.

<https://fb.me/e/4ekPCtnIw>

Info:

Summer Party at Bob's Country Bunker (EvilBob's shop/man cave)

June 22, 2024, 6pm till late

42247 290th St, Aitkin, MN 56431

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/jZ83bwWi2K63nw9q7>

(Just north of Lake Mille Lacs, about 1.5hrs N of Elk River on Hwy 169, or about 2hrs N of Blaine if you take mostly Hwy 65. FYI our driveway is about 0.1mi of gravel. Google Maps will bring you right to our doorstep.)

Message:

Please RSVP to robertalangerhart@gmail.com so we have some idea about how many people to plan for. We'll make the neighbors listen to some good music and bad karaoke whether they like it or not. I'm planning to cook up something good on the smoker but you invited to bring something tasty to share. We are not beer drinkers, so if that's what you are into then please feel free to bring what you need. We will try to keep things as family-friendly as we ever get around here until about 9 or maybe a bit later.

PLEASE NOTE: we are NOT planning to babysit anyone who drinks too much. No, you can't crash here (guest room is already spoken for), but there are a number of hotels, motels, and

resorts within ~10mi. We are happy to provide suggestions. YOU are responsible for making sure that you can get there safely.

Let me know if I forgot anything important. Hope to see a few of you guys.

-EvilBob

Robert A. Gerhart

***** From Waz and the XH Riders Club *****

Hey all - welcome to 2024! As every new year will do, 2024 brings promise, anticipation and hope. But, to us owners and/or fans of the second generation Excelsior Henderson motorcycles, it also brings us our Silver Anniversary. Hard to believe that it's already been 25 years of these timeless machines. Certainly worthy of a celebration and celebrate we will! Our Silver Anniversary celebration will be held at the birthday place of these bikes: Belle Paine, MN over the third weekend in July. Please make plans to attend for the weekend or simply for a few hours to catch up with longtime friends or join us for a ride. Home base for the Silver Anniversary Celebration has been established as The Home Town Inn and Suites in Belle Plaine. We've got a block of 10 rooms for Thursday, Friday and Saturday July 18, 19 and 20th. Of course you can come earlier if you'd like. 952-873-6017 The block is under Excelsior Henderson Rider's Club. Book your vacation time as well as your room reservation now.